

substantially parallel to the vector defined by the electric field and ii) substantially non-parallel to a normal defined by the surface of the substrate.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein forming includes plasma enhanced chemical vapor deposition.
3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein forming the elongated nanostructure includes forming a plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures.
4. (Original) The method of claim 3, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures include a plurality of carbon nanofibers.
5. (Original) The method of claim 3, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures include a plurality of carbon nanotubes.
6. (Original) The method of claim 3, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures are formed using a plurality of catalyst nanoparticles including at least one element selected from the group consisting of nickel, iron and cobalt.
7. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
changing a direction associated with the vector; and
continuing to form the elongated nanostructure.
8. (Original) The method of claim 7, wherein changing the direction associated with the vector includes moving the protruding part of the electrode relative to a nonprotruding part of the electrode.
9. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising moving the substrate relative to the edge of the protruding section of the electrode.
10. (Original) A product made by the method of claim 1.
11. (Original) A method, comprising:

generating an electric field proximate a position on a surface of a substrate, the electric field defining a vector;
forming an elongated nanostructure located at the position on the surface of the substrate; then
changing a direction associated with the vector; and
continuing to form the elongated nanostructure, at least one tangent to the elongated nanostructure substantially non-parallel to a normal defined by the surface of the substrate.

12. (Original) The method of claim 11, wherein forming includes plasma enhanced chemical vapor deposition.

13. (Original) The method of claim 11, wherein forming the elongated nanostructure includes forming a plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures.

14. (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures include a plurality of carbon nanofibers.

15. (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures include a plurality of carbon nanotubes.

16. (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures are formed using a plurality of catalyst nanoparticles including at least one element selected from the group consisting of nickel, iron and cobalt.

17. (Original) The method of claim 11, wherein changing the direction associated with the vector includes moving a protruding part of an electrode upon which the substrate is mounted relative to a nonprotruding part of the electrode.

18. (Original) The method of claim 11, further comprising moving the substrate relative to an edge of a protruding section of an electrode.

19. (Original) A product made by the method of claim 11.

20. (Original) A method, comprising:
generating an electric field proximate a position on a surface of a substrate, the electric field defining a vector;
forming an elongated nanostructure located at the position on the surface of the substrate; then
moving the position on the surface of the substrate; and
continuing to form the elongated nanostructure, at least one tangent to the elongated nanostructure substantially non-parallel to a normal defined by the surface of the substrate.
21. (Original) The method of claim 20, wherein forming includes plasma enhanced chemical vapor deposition.
22. (Original) The method of claim 20, wherein forming the elongated nanostructure includes forming a plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures.
23. (Original) The method of claim 22, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures include a plurality of carbon nanofibers.
24. (Original) The method of claim 22, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures include a plurality of carbon nanotubes.
25. (Original) The method of claim 22, wherein the plurality of substantially aligned nanostructures are formed using a plurality of catalyst nanoparticles including at least one element selected from the group consisting of nickel, iron and cobalt.
26. (Original) The method of claim 20, further comprising changing the direction associated with the vector.
27. (Original) The method of claim 26, wherein changing the direction associated with the vector includes moving a protruding part of an electrode upon which the substrate is mounted relative to a nonprotruding part of the electrode.

28. (Original) A product made by the method of claim 20.

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